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SUBJECT: GENERAL PRATS' TRIP

REF: (A) SANTIAGO 1490: (B) SANTIAGO DATT 210 DTG 091800 Z APR 73

1. DURING PAST WEEK, GENERAL LUTZ, DIRECTOR OF CHILEAN ARMY INTELLIGENCE, AND COLONEL RUBIO, MILITARY SECRETARY TO ARMY CINC, INQUIRED OF ARMA AS TO WHEN GEN. PRATS COULD EXPECT RESPONSE TO HIS REQUEST TO BE RECEIVED BY GEN. ABRAMS IN WASHINGTON. PRATS HIMSELF ON APRIL 8 REPEATED INQUIRY DURING CONVERSATION REPORTED REF (B). ON ALL OCCASIONS ARMA REPLIED THAT ABRAMS WAS TEMPORARILY OUT OF WASHINGTON AND THAT WE WOULD RESPOND ASAP AFTER HIS RETURN.

2. TIMING OF PROPOSED TRIP INDICATED IN REF (A); I. E., DEPARTURE ON MAY 2, EXPLAINS ELEMENT OF ANXIETY. IF HE IS TO MEET THAT DATE, PRATS WILL HAVE TO BE IN POSITION SOON TO PETITION CONGRESS FOR PERMISSION LEAVE CHILE.
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